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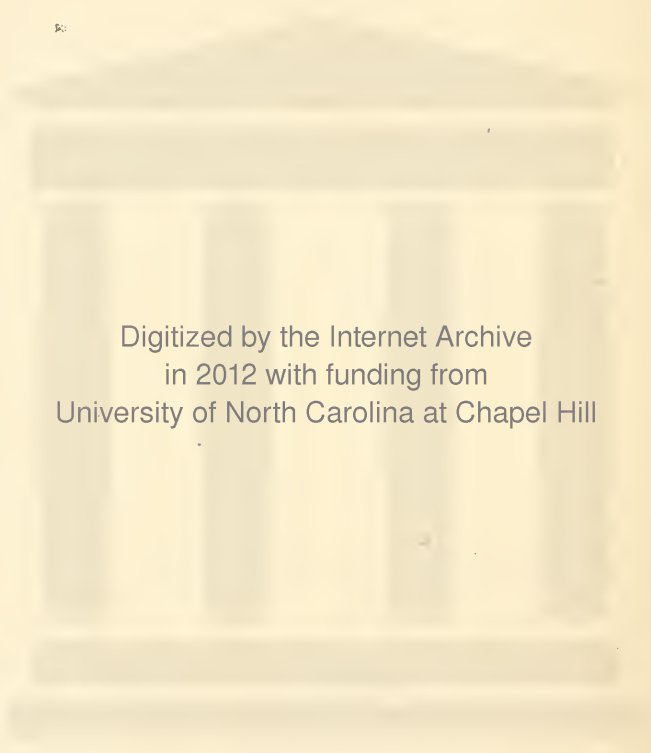
FOR THE

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CALENDAR FOR 1901-1902.

1901.

Fall Term began Thursday, September 5
 Examinations began.....December 18
 Term ended.....December 23

1902.

Beginning of Spring Term.....January 2
 Dedication of Shearer Biblical Hall.....February 13
 Junior Orations February 22
 Maxwell Chambers Day (Senior Orations).....March 28
 Athletic Day April 12
 Final Examinations of Senior Class.....April 29
 General Examinations.....May 13
 Baccalaureate Sermon.....11 a. m., May 25
 Sermon before the Y. M. C. A. 8 p. m., May 25
 Reunion of Literary Societies 8 p. m., May 26
 Annual Meeting of the Trustees.....9 a. m., May 27
 Oration before the Literary Societies 10:30 a. m., May 27
 Alumni Association Meeting and Banquet.....5 p. m., May 27
 Anniversary of the Literary Societies 8 p. m., May 27
 Commencement Day.....Wednesday, May 28

Next Academic Year begins Thursday, September 4
 Examinations for Admission.....Wednesday, September 3

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Tscharner Homington DeGraffenreid	Chester, S. C.
Pendleton Bernard Fetzer	Concord, N. C.
Joel Smith Morse	Abbeville, S. C.
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Geo. Reece Hutchison	Lincolnton, N. C.
Jay Hepburn Lowrance	Mooresville, N. C.
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For the Degree of B. S.

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Robert Monroe Jetton	Davidson, N. C.
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GRADUATE STUDENTS.

Resident.

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George Madison Maxwell, A. B.	Davidson, N. C.	Chemistry.

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J. E. Ward, A. B.	Seneca, S. C.	Latin.
J. A. Winn, A. B.	Asheville, N. C.	Latin.

SUMMARY.

Seniors	14
Juniors	30
Sophomores	47
Freshmen	52
Eclectics	35
Resident Post-Graduates	3

Total Number in Attendance.....181

Applicants for Degrees.

A. B.	104
B. S.	39
A. M. (resident)	3
A. M. (non-resident)	13

Representation.

North Carolina	117
South Carolina	41
Georgia	4
Florida	5
Virginia	3
Alabama	1
Mississippi	2
Maine	1
District Columbia	1
Cuba	1
Brazil	1
China	2

Medalists for 1900-1901.

RUMENEAN SOCIETY.		PHILANTHROPIC SOCIETY.
D. W. Richardson.....	Debater's Medal	W. R. Clegg.
Reed Smith.....	Essayist's Medal	J. A. McLeod.
R. S. Johnston... ..	Declaimer's Medal.....	W. W. Bain.
Orator's Medal (given by both Societies).....		P. C. DuBose.
Wm. Banks Biblical Medal.....		Reed Smith.

Roll of Honor for 1900-1901.

Freshman Class—E. D. Kerr, J. W. Farrior, J. W. Currie, R. H. Adams, R. D. Dickson, R. K. Timmons.
 Sophomore Class—W. W. Arrowood, H. H. Caldwell.
 Junior Class—D. W. Richardson, J. S. Rowe.
 Senior Class—R. M. Patrick, Reed Smith, W. A. Watt.

Punctuality Roll for 1900-1901.

Freshman Class—W. R. Bailey, C. L. Black, E. B. Carr, J. W. Currie, J. N. McCord, B. G. Team, L. W. White.
 Sophomore Class—A. R. McQueen.
 Junior Class—W. R. Clegg, P. G. Gourdin.
 Senior Class—O. H. Matthews (for the whole four years), W. M. Sieks.

Distinctions in the Graduating Class of 1901.

R. M. Patrick.....	Valedictory	Bowling Green, S. C.
Reed Smith	Salutatory.....	Columbia, S. C.

GRADUATES.

May 29th, 1901.

With the Degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Milton Morris Caldwell	Concord, N. C.
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Ralph Carroll Deal	Greenville, S. C.
Thornton Dudley Dupuy	Davidson, N. C.
Oliver Jones Huie.....	Atlanta, Ga.
William Banks McClintock	Charlotte, N. C.
John Archibald McLeod.....	Villanow, N. C.
Orlando Howard Matthews.....	Davidson, N. C.
John Baxter Meacham.....	Rock Hill, S. C.
Rollin Moore Patrick.....	Bowling Green, S. C.
Walter Banks Reid	Griffith, N. C.
William Marion Sikes.....	Greensboro, N. C.
Samuel Ethelbert Sloop.....	Miranda, N. C.
Reed Smith	Columbia, S. C.
Hansell Watt	Thomasville, Ga.
William Augustine Watt	Thomasville, Ga.

With the Degree of Bachelor of Science.

David Schenck Craig.....	Begonia, N. C.
John Franklin Dunn.....	Ocala, Fla.
Morrison Fetzer.....	Concord, N. C.
Joseph Boudinot Johnson	Lincolnton, N. C.
Leone Burns Newell.....	Newell, N. C.
Edwin Roy Wharton	Greensboro, N. C.
Stewart Baskin Sherard	Moffittsville, S. C.
Kenneth Henry McIntyre	Carl, N. C.

With the Degree of Master of Arts.

John Lawrence Farries, B. S.....	Chicago, Ill.
John Eldred Flow, A. B.....	Davidson, N. C.
William Gilmer Perry, A. B.....	Atlanta, Ga.
Wade Hampton Thompson, A. B.	Anderson, S. C.

Doctor of Divinity (Honorary).

Rev. A. D. McClure.....	Wilmington, N. C.
Rev. J. N. H. Summerell	Washington, N. C.

Doctor of Laws (Honorary).

Rev. George Summey, D. D.....	Clarksville, Tenn.
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ORGANIZATION.

ADMISSION.

Age.—The earliest age at which, in general, it will be advantageous to enter college is at the completion of the fifteenth year. The Faculty is authorized to matriculate a student at an earlier age, provided sufficient reasons exist.

Testimonials.—Every applicant for matriculation must submit to the President satisfactory testimonials of good moral character, and if from an academy or college, a certificate of dismissal in good standing.

Examinations for Admission.*—The examinations for admission are both oral and in writing. They are held on Wednesday before the opening of the session. All applicants are requested to present themselves on that day.

Applicants desiring to be examined in the spring at their homes should request their teachers to communicate with the College on the subject.

Students may be admitted at any time during the year to any class for which they are prepared. But it is desirable that they enter at the opening of a term, and, if possible, at the beginning of the academic year.

Advanced Standing.—Candidates for the higher classes will be examined in all the studies previously gone over by the class which they propose to enter.

Classification.—Every student shall report each year to the President, who shall have charge of his classification and give judicious counsel and advice in the choice of courses and elective studies.

N. B.—Every student, at his registration each year, shall enter into a covenant and sign a pledge that he will not engage in any form of *hazing* during the year, nor knowingly injure the property of the College.

COURSES OF STUDY.

I. The Classical Course.—Embracing the studies of the ordinary curriculum and elective studies. It occupies four years, and those who satisfactorily complete it receive the degree of A. B.

II. The Scientific Course.—Designed for such as wish to pursue English and scientific studies mainly. It occupies four years, and leads to the degree of B. S.

* See Entrance Requirements, page 14.

III. Eclectic Course.—Students who do not wish to take either of the regular courses are permitted to select such branches of study as they may be qualified for, and to recite with the College classes, the number of their studies being subject to the direction of the Faculty. Certificates of branches studied and of attainments made will be given, if desired, to such as have satisfactorily pursued special studies.

IV. Master's Course.—The degree of A. M. may be taken by a year's study in addition to the full A. B. or B. S. Course, to be elected out of the remaining studies of the College, or post-graduate studies. This is open to the graduates of all regular colleges. No tuition fee. This is a course for resident students.

V. Non-Resident Course.—The degree of A. M. is also conferred on those who have passed a prescribed course of study and stood approved examinations. No tuition fee. This is for non-resident graduates of Davidson College only, and includes a full year's work in some given line of study.

FRESHMAN ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS.

TO THE CLASSICAL COURSE.

English*.—1. *Language.*—The principles of the language as given in any modern high-school grammar.

2. *Composition.*—Stress will be laid upon the practical knowledge of spelling, punctuation, the use of capital letters, and sentence and paragraph structure. No formal rhetoric will be required, but the use of such text book as Buehler's or Butler's School English, or Genung's Outlines of Rhetoric is recommended.

3. *Literature.*—The masterpieces appointed for college entrance by the Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools of the Southern States will be used as the basis of this part of the entrance requirements, or their equivalent may be offered. These texts for 1903, 1904, and 1905 are as follows:

(1) For general reading: Shakespeare's Merchant of Venice, and Julius Cæsar; The Sir Roger de Coverley Papers in *The Spectator*; Goldsmith's Vicar of Wakefield; Coleridge's Ancient Mariner; Scott's Ivanhoe; Carlyle's Essay on Burns; Tennyson's Princess; Lowell's Vision of Sir Launfal; George Eliot's Silas Marner.

(2) For study and practice: Shakespeare's Macbeth, Milton's Lycidas, Comus, L'Allegro, and Il Penseroso; Burke's Speech on Conciliation with America; Macaulay's Essays on Milton and Addison.

Mathematics.—1. *Arithmetic.*—One applying for admission to the Freshman Class is supposed to have completed this subject, and should be thoroughly familiar with the whole of a good school Arithmetic.

2. *Algebra.*—A thorough knowledge of the elements of Algebra is required through Radicals to Equations of the Second Degree.

* These requirements will not be strictly enforced in 1902.

3. *Geometry*.—A knowledge of the first three books of Plane Geometry is quite desirable, though not required for entrance.

Latin.—1. *Grammar*.—Gildersleeve's Latin Primer, Latin Reader, and Exercise Book (fifty pages), or their equivalent; a Latin Grammar, e. g., Allen and Greenough's or Gildersleeve's, through case constructions.

2. *Reading*.—Four Books of Cæsar and Cicero's Orations against Catiline, or their equivalent.

Greek.—1. *Grammar*.—White's Beginner's Greek Book, or Gleason and Atherton's First Greek Book, or an equivalent.

2. *Reading*.—First and Second Books of Xenophon's Anabasis.

TO THE SCIENTIFIC COURSE.

In Mathematics and English the same as for the Classical Course. In Latin the preparation should be the same, but the requirements are not at present so rigidly enforced.

TO THE ECLECTIC COURSE.

Eclectic students may pursue any College courses for which, in the judgment of the Faculty and the Professor in charge, they are prepared. An eclectic student must have a full complement of studies, and their selection is subject to the control of the Faculty. Many students, eclectic in the early part of their course, go on to the attainment of a regular degree.

As the public schools of the South give no instruction in Greek, provision is made for students to begin this study at College under a skilful and thoroughly competent instructor. It sometimes happens that applicants for admission are deficient in one or more of the above requirements. For their benefit there is one elementary class in Latin and one in Algebra. Deficiencies in English may also be removed by study under the Assistant in that department.

The College has no attached academy nor preparatory department. Students wholly unprepared for regular College work are advised to remain in secondary schools.

CERTIFICATES.

The Faculty may admit, without examination, students who present satisfactory certificates from the teachers who have prepared them for College. Blank certificates for this purpose may be obtained from the President, but their use is not obligatory.

EXAMINATIONS AT A DISTANCE.

Applicants for admission desiring to stand entrance examinations at their homes during the spring or summer should correspond with the President on the subject.

REQUIRED AND ELECTIVE STUDIES.

The Freshman and Sophomore studies are obligatory, except as provided for in the B. S. and Eclectic courses. The Junior and Senior studies are elective, the successful completion of ten of them being necessary to graduation, five being taken each year. The selection is made at the beginning of the year, with the advice and consent of the President, and ordinarily no change of studies is allowed after the work of the class has begun.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF A. B.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

1. **Latin.**—Curtius; Cicero; Gildersleeve's Latin Grammar (1894); Gildersleeve's Exercise Book; Composition.
2. **Greek.**—Zenophon's *Cyropaedia*; Plato; Parallel; Goodwin's Greek Grammar; El. Lessons in Greek Syntax (Winchell); The Greek in English (Goodell); Classic Myths (Gayley).
3. **Mathematics.**—Bowser's College Algebra; Phillips & Fisher's Geometry.
4. **Physics.**—Hoadley's Brief Course in Physics.
5. **English.**—Newcomer's Rhetoric; Scott & Denny's Paragraph Writing; Selected Texts for Class-Room Study.
6. **Biblical Instruction.**—A Reference Bible; Bible Course Syllabus (Shearer); a Bible Dictionary; Coleman's Historical Text-Book and Atlas of Biblical Geography.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

1. **Latin.**—Livy; Horace; Roman History; Gildersleeve's Grammar; Composition.
2. **Greek.**—Herodotus (Keep); Homer (School Iliad, Seymour); Goodwin's Greek Grammar; History of Greece (Botsford); Story of the Odyssey (Church); Composition.
3. **Mathematics.**—Phillips & Fisher's Geometry—finished; Wentworth's Plane and Spherical Trigonometry; Wentworth's Analytical Geometry.
4. **Chemistry.**—Remsen's Inorganic Chemistry, Briefer Course; Laboratory Work; Reports; Lectures.
5. **English.**—Genung's Working Principles of Rhetoric; Brook's English Literature; Pancoast's Introduction to American Literature; Selected English and American Poetry and Prose.
6. **Biblical Instruction.**—Same Books as in the Freshman Class, and Prideaux's Connection of Sacred and Profane History (Harper).

JUNIOR CLASS.

(Studies Elective. Five to be Chosen.)

1. **Latin.**—Plautus; Terence; Tacitus; Private Reading; Gildersleeve's Grammar; Crutwell's Roman Literature; Lectures.
2. **Greek.**—Demosthenes; Euripides; Greek Literature (Jebb); Poetic Versions of Homer (Bryant); Aeschylus (Plumptre); Sophocles (Plumptre); Euripides (Lawton, Way); Aristophanes (Frere); Goodwin's Greek Grammar; Composition; Lectures.
3. **Mathematics.**—Nichols' Analytic Geometry; Venable's Notes on Solid Geometry; Taylor's Calculus.
4. **Physics.**—S. P. Thompson's Elec. and Magnetism; Laboratory Work; Lectures.
5. **Applied Mathematics.**—Church's Descriptive Geometry; Carhart's Plane Surveying; Carhart's Field Book for Civil Engineers.
6. **Chemistry.**—Qualitative Analysis (Stoddard); Synthesis of Inorganic Compounds; Written Reports; Lectures.
7. **English.**—Smith's Old English Grammar, with Prose and Poetic Selections; Liddell's Chaucer; Lounsbury's English Language.

8. History.—Adam's Medieval and Modern History ; Terry's History of England.

9. French—Whitney's French Grammar ; Petit Chose, Gil Blas ; La Mare au Diable ; Private Reading ; Composition.

10. German.—Joynes-Meissner's Grammar ; Elementary, Intermediate, and Advanced Texts ; Gore's German Science Reader.

11. Biblical Instruction.—Bible ; "Syllabus" ; Bible Dictionary ; "Coleman" ; Robinson's English Harmony ; Lectures ; Evidences.

SENIOR CLASS.

(Studies Elective. Five to be Chosen.)

1. Latin.—Juvenal (Hardy) ; Terence ; Plautus ; Selections from the Elegiac Poets.

2. Greek.—Thucydides ; Sophocles ; Æschylus ; Lectures ; Comparative Grammar ; Greek Literature (Jebb), and see list under Junior Class, Greek.

3. Mathematics.—Taylor's Calculus ; Weld's Determinants ; Barton's Theory of Equations ; Lectures.

4. Astronomy and Meteorology.—Young's General Astronomy ; Waldo's Elementary Meteorology ; Lectures.

5. Mineralogy and Geology.—Foye's Handbook of Mineralogy ; Scott's Introduction to Geology ; Lectures.

6. Chemistry, Course A.—Analytical Chemistry ; Various Texts.

7. Chemistry, Course B.—*First Half Year.*—Organic Chemistry (Remsen) ; Laboratory Work, Orndorff's Manual. *Second Half Year*, either 1. Theoretical Chemistry, Remsen or Meyer ; Lectures, or 2. Physiological Chemistry, Wolf ; Lectures.

8. Logic and Economics.—Creighton's Logic ; Ely's Political Economy.

9. English.—Dowden's Shakespeare Primer ; The Globe Shakespeare ; The *Arden* Texts ; the Globe edition of Milton ; Gummere's Poetics ; selected works.

10. Mental and Moral Philosophy.—Elements of Psychology (Davis) ; Haven's History of Philosophy ; Dabney's Practical Philosophy ; Lectures.

11. French.—Whitney's French Grammar ; Selections from Erckmann Chatrian, Corneille, Racine, Moliere, and Victor Hugo ; Private Reading ; Composition.

12. German.—Joynes-Meissner's Grammar ; Short History of German Literature (Hosmer) ; Composition ; Lessing ; Goethe ; Schiller ; German Scientific Reading (Brandt and Day).

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR THE DEGREE OF B. S.

Freshman Class.—One Modern Language is substituted for Greek in the A. B. Course.

Sophomore Class.—The other Modern Language may be substituted for Latin, and any Junior study may be elected in the place of Greek.

Junior and Senior Classes.—Any five studies may be elected out of the A. B. Course in each class, at least two of which must be scientific or mathematical each year.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR RESIDENT A. M. COURSE.

Any five elections out of such Junior and Senior studies as were not included in the A. B. or B. S. Course, or Post-Graduate work in special departments.

SCHEME OF STUDIES FOR NON-RESIDENT A. M. COURSE.

A full year's work in any department of study selected by the applicant and agreed on by the Faculty. This course is offered only to graduates of Davidson College.

COURSE OF INSTRUCTION.

THE LATIN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

Professor Grey.

The course in Latin extends over four years. In the Freshman and Sophomore Classes the study is required; in the Junior and Senior Classes it is optional.

Attention is paid both to the grammatical and to the rhetorical structure of the language, and throughout the course accuracy of translation and the analysis of the sentence are constantly insisted upon.

Careful training is given in writing Latin. For this purpose original connected exercises are employed, as well as approved exercise books.

The course includes the History and Literature of Rome. In the lower classes these subjects are treated in compendious form; fuller consideration is given them in the higher.

During the session frequent written review examinations are held, and the student is given much practice in written translations. In addition to the regular class-room work, a course of parallel reading is required in all the classes.

Freshman Class.—This class meets four times a week. Special attention is given to the forms, and the class enters upon the systematic study of Latin Syntax.

Text-Books.—Curtius (Crosby); Cicero De Senectute and De Amicitia (Bennett); Gildersleeve's Exercise Book; Gildersleeve's Grammar (1894); Harper's Latin Dictionary.

Sophomore Class.—This class meets three times a week. Particular attention is devoted to the syntax of the language and to the metres of Horace.

Text-Books.—Livy (Westcott); Horace (Bennett and Rolfe); Roman History (Botsford).

Junior Class.—This class meets three times a week, and, in addition to the general work of the class in translation and Latin Composition, gives attention to the Latin Metre and to the History and Literature of Rome.

Text-Books.—Plautus' Aulularia (Wagner), and Pseudolus (Morris); Terence, Adelphi and Phormio; Tacitus' Germania and Agricola (Allen); Private Reading; Grammar; History of Roman Literature (Cruttwell).

Senior Class.—This class meets three times a week. In this class the study of Roman Literature is completed. In

connection with the authors read in this class, attention is given to characteristics of style and to the history and development of the language.

Text-Books.—Juvenal (Hardy); The Andria and Heautontimorumenos of Terence; Selections from the Elegiac Poets; Plautus' Mostellaria and Stichus.

GREEK LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

Professor Harding.

This course is completed in four years. It is compulsory in the Freshman and Sophomore, and elective in the Junior and Senior Classes. Greek-English and English-Greek exercises constitute a most important feature of the work, and the principles involved are thoroughly discussed from week to week. The classes are also practiced in sight-reading.

Freshman Class.—(Four hours a week.) The work of the year consists in Translation, Drill in Forms and in the Elements of Syntax, the Study of Classic Myths, and a careful tracing of the Greek Element in English Etymology.

Text-Books.—Xenophon's Cyropaedia; Plato; Parallel; Goodwin's Greek Grammar; Elementary Lessons in Greek Syntax (Winchell); The Greek in English (Goodell); Classic Myths (Gayley).

Sophomore Class.—(Three hours a week.) This class is mainly occupied with Translations, repeated Drill in Forms, Composition of Words, Structure of Sentences, and the Details of Syntax. The variations of Herodotus and Homer, in point of form and syntax, from the norm of the Attic style, are duly noted and emphasized. The metre of the Homeric hexameter is treated exhaustively and made familiar by daily exercises in scansion. The severe side of the work in this class is relieved by a survey of Greek History.

Text-Books.—Herodotus; Homer's Odyssey; Parallel; Goodwin's Grammar; History of Greece (Botsford); Story of the Odyssey (Church).

Junior Class.—(Three recitations a week.) In this class more attention is given to translation and the literary form, so as to secure rapidity and facility in translating, and consequent sympathy with the style and spirit of the authors read. In the study of syntax the grammar is largely supplemented by notes and lectures from the instructor; in the study of metre careful attention is given to the varieties and intricacies of lyric versification as found in the Greek tragedians. The systematic study of the literature requires one hour a week. The text-book is supplemented by abundant parallel work in approved English translations, exhibiting the thought and subject-matter of each several author. Synonyms by Lecture.

Text-Books.—Demosthenes; Euripides; Parallel; Greek Litera-

ture ; Poetic Versions of two or three in the following list : Homer, Æschylus, Sophocles, Euripides, Aristophanes ; Goodwin's Greek Grammar ; Lectures.

Senior Class.—(Three recitations a week.) In this year the language is viewed more especially from its artistic and æsthetic side. The study of the literature and parallel work in English translations are continued. Literary and rhetorical criticism is attempted, and the class notes the distinctive marks and characteristics of the several styles of leading Greek authors. An attempt is made to trace the influence of Greek legend and mythology on English literature.

Another feature of the Senior year is the study of Comparative Philology on the basis of the etymology and the inflection of Greek words. This course, though brief, presents the general principles of the old and new systems of Indo-European Phonetics, and serves as a preparation for post-graduate work.

Text-Books.—Thucydides; Sophocles; Æschylus ; Parallel ; Greek Literature (see list under Junior Class); Lectures; Comparative Grammar.

Lexicons and other Books of Reference.—Liddell and Scott's Greek Lexicon (seventh edition or the Intermediate insisted on); Yonge's English Greek Dictionary; Smith's and Anthon's Classical Dictionary; Long's or Kiepert's Ancient Atlas, or Ginn and Company's Classical Atlas.

MATHEMATICS.

Professor J. L. Douglas.

There are five classes in Mathematics, and, as stated elsewhere, all students are required to study the subjects that are taught in the two lower classes. Much stress is laid on the solution in writing of original exercises designed to illustrate or to supplement the principles developed in the text. In the regular course sufficient field work is taught to enable a student to solve the ordinary problems of Surveying, Draining, and Irrigation. The class in Applied Mathematics gives an opportunity to those who desire to take an extended course in that subject. The College is well supplied with the most approved engineering instruments.

Freshman Class.—This class studies Algebra and Plane Geometry. There are four recitations a week. Applicants for admission to this class must be familiar with Algebra as far as Quadratic Equations. Some knowledge of Geometry will also be found profitable.

Text-Books.—Bowser's College Algebra; Phillips and Fisher's Geometry.

Sophomore Class.—The Sophomore Class recites four times a week. The subjects taught are, Solid and Modern Geometry, Plane and Spherical Trigonometry, and Analytical Geometry.

Text-Books.—Phillips and Fisher's Geometry ; Wentworth's Trigonometry ; Wentworth's Analytical Geometry ; Lectures.

Junior Class.—The Junior Class (elective) recites three times a week, and studies Analytical Geometry of two and three dimensions, and Differential Calculus.

Text-Books.—Nichol's Analytical Geometry ; Venable's Notes on Solid Geometry ; Taylor's Calculus.

Senior Class.—*Pure Mathematics.*—This class (elective) recites three times a week. The subjects taught are the Differential and the Integral Calculus, Determinants, and Theory of Equations.

Text-Books.—Differential and Integral Calculus completed (Osborne's) ; Weld's Determinants ; Barton's Theory of Equations ; Lectures.

Applied Mathematics.—The class in Applied Mathematics (elective) meets for recitation or field practice three times a week. The subjects taught are : Descriptive Geometry ; General Theory and Practice of Land, Topographical and Geodetical Surveying ; Determination of Heights and Distances ; Leveling ; Draining ; Location and Laying out of Works, such as Roads, Canals, etc. ; Drawing Maps, Profiles, and Cross-Sections ; Calculations of Quantities of Earthwork and Masonry.

Text-Books.—Church's Descriptive Geometry ; Carhart's Plane Surveying ; Carhart's Field Book for Civil Engineers ; Lectures.

THE FRENCH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

Professor Grey.

A two years' course, and elective. Three times a week in each class.

Junior Class.—The student first studies the elements of French. After a month or six weeks he takes up the work of translation, continuing at the same time the study of Forms, Pronunciation, and Syntax. Special attention is given to writing French.

Text-Books.—Whitney's Grammar ; Petit Chose (Daudet) ; La Mare au Diable (Sand) ; Gil Blas (Lesaye) ; Private Reading from de la Bedolliere, Genin, Assollant and Dumas ; Gasc's French Dictionary.

Senior Class.—The work of this class is devoted principally to translation, with due attention to Pronunciation and Syntax. A course in French Composition is also given.

Text-Books.—Whitney's Grammar ; Voltaire's *Siecle de Louis XIV* ; Classic French Plays (Joynes) ; Victor Hugo's *Ruy Blas* ; *Le Romantisme Francais* (Crane) ; Private Reading from Daudet, Souvestre, Beaumarchais, Jules Verne, and Merimee.

THE GERMAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

Professor Harding.

This is a two years' course, and is elective. Three recitations a week in each class.

Junior Class.—No previous study of the language is required for entrance into this class. The pronunciation, forms, idioms, and grammatical structure are emphasized, with ample black-board and composition exercises. In a short time the class begins the translation of easy prose, which is pushed more rapidly as the year advances.

Text-Books.—Joynes-Meissner's Grammar; Elementary, Intermediate, and Advanced Texts; Gore's German Science Reader; Parallel.

Senior Class.—The systematic study of the Grammar is continued with written exercises. In addition to the reading of standard authors, some attention is given to the literature of the language.

Text-Books.—Joynes-Meissner's Grammar; Composition; Hosmer's German Literature; Lessing; Goethe; Schiller; German Scientific Reading (Brandt and Lay); Parallel; Lexicons: Fluegel-Schmidt-Tanger, Adler, Whitney, Heath.

CHEMISTRY.

Professor Martin, Mr. King, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Rowe.

The course in Chemistry covers three years. So much of it as is taught to the Sophomores is required. It is elective in the Junior and Senior years. The department is amply supplied with apparatus and chemicals for lectures, lecture experimentation, and laboratory work, and the instruction is made distinctively practical throughout—a constant drill in the habit of observation and of reasoning therefrom.

The Martin Chemical Laboratory, a new building recently erected and equipped for the special use of the department, offers excellent facilities for the work in chemistry. While the importance of lectures and recitations is not lost sight of, the greatest stress is laid upon the work in the laboratory, where the student is made to verify for himself (as far as possible) the laws underlying the science, believing that in this way alone he will get a true conception of these fundamental laws and the theories offered in explanation of them. Here the earnest effort is made to teach the student to be thorough and exact, and to use his mental powers as well as his manipulative skill. It is expected that the student who has completed the courses in this department shall not only be a chemical mechanic of considerable ability, but shall also have an intelligent knowledge and appreciation of the principles and laws underlying his work. The laboratory is opened daily from 8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

Sophomore Class.—(Two recitations and one laboratory period a week.) In this class the elementary facts of Inorganic Chemistry are taught by text-book and lecture, accompanied by experimental illustrations, and by laboratory work

done by the student under the personal supervision of an instructor. The students are required to work by sections in the laboratory one afternoon each week, and taught to perform and record accurately such experiments as best illustrate the progress of their class-room work. The topics are selected with distinct reference to their bearing on the general principles of the science, and earnest effort is made to ground the student in the simpler of these principles.

Text-Books.—Remsen's Chemistry, Briefer Course ; Experiments Selected by the Professor ; Lectures.

Junior Class.—The work of this class is distinctly practical throughout. Qualitative Analysis (based on Stoddard) is taught during the first half year (to February 1st). In addition to thorough laboratory work, covering the metals, inorganic acids, salts, alloys, and ores, the student is drilled in reaction writing and required to devise methods of his own for the separation and detection of the metals and acids. He is also constantly questioned as to the reasons for the different steps and how best to overcome any difficulties which may arise. While conference may at any time be had with professor or assistant, the wisdom of learning to be self-reliant is persistently taught. Each student is required to make constant use of the Chemical Library, which has had large additions lately in the way of dictionaries, reference works and standard texts. To these additions will be made each year.

After February 1st the class is engaged in the making of inorganic preparations. In this synthetic work the student is taught to make and purify a number of substances so selected as to carry him through as many different kinds of operations as possible. By reference to the library he selects the method which he deems best suited to his purposes, submits an abstract of it, including all calculations of amounts of material and description of all apparatus needed, to the instructor, who, passing upon it, gives him the necessary material and apparatus. The work is under the constant inspection and criticism of the instructor, and with the presentation of the sample of his product the student is required to hand in a carefully prepared thesis of his work. Stress is laid upon the reactions involved and the overcoming of difficulties as they arise.

Senior Class.—There are two chemical courses offered in this class, each of which constitutes a senior election.

Course A. Analytical Chemistry.—During the fall term the work comprises the simpler methods of gravimetric and volumetric analysis. After this the work is conducted along lines suited to the needs and wishes of the individual student.

Courses in the past have been given in Mineral Analysis, Fertilizer Analysis, Electro-chemical Analysis, and Medical Chemistry.

The text-books in this course are the works of different authors found in the library, to the constant use of which the students are directed.

Course B.—From September to February 1st Organic Chemistry (Remsen) is taught. The class meets three times a week for lecture and recitation. An earnest effort is made to thoroughly ground the student in the underlying principles of the subject and to give him a good grasp of the classification rather than to require him to make an exhaustive study of any set of compounds. Special attention is paid to reaction work and to the reasons for the acceptance of the Structural formulæ given. The lecture work is supplemented by a laboratory course in the Synthesis of such compounds as best illustrate the most important classes and reactions. Orndorff's Manual is followed in the laboratory.

After February 1st two courses are offered, either of which the student may elect as best suits his needs.

Course B. 1. Theoretical Chemistry.—Lectures and recitations based on Meyer or Remsen. The effort here is to clinch, to deepen, to broaden, believing that the student is now prepared to appreciate a more comprehensive discussion of the laws and theories of chemistry.

Course B. 2. Physiological Chemistry.—This is mainly a laboratory course and is intended for such students as expect to study medicine. It includes the study of such carbohydrates as are found in the animal body or are concerned in digestion or fermentation, the fats, proteins, blood, saliva, the fluids of the stomach and pancreas, digestion, bile, milk, urine and calculi.

Text-Book.—Wolf's Physiological Chemistry and Urine Examination. For reference: Hammarsten translated by Mandel.

Master of Arts Course.—(Post-Graduate). The work in this course is laboratory work in the main, but in addition there will be text-book and lecture work along advanced lines, upon which the student will be examined orally or in writing. The candidate must have completed the Chemistry courses of the under-graduate department and have received the B. A. or B. S. in this institution or in some other college offering an equivalent course in Chemistry. The work will be along the lines suited to the needs or desires of the student. Independent work will be encouraged, and an acceptable thesis must be presented on a subject assigned.

PHYSICS.

Professor J. M. Douglas.

Freshman Class.—This class recites twice a week in Elementary Physics. During the fall term the class studies Matter and its Properties, Dynamics of Liquids and Gases, and Elementary Mechanics. The second term is given to the study of Heat, Sound, Electricity, and Light. The only mathematical knowledge necessary to the successful prosecution of the course is an acquaintance with the elements of Algebra and Geometry, and of the Metric System, which is used through the entire course. The facts are explained by numerous familiar lectures and illustrated by daily experiments. The simpler experiments are often performed and discussed by members of the class.

Text-Books.—Henderson and Woodhull's Introduction to Physics ; Lectures.

Junior Class.—(Three hours a week.) The course is confined to the department of Electricity, and is made both practical and thorough, though necessarily elementary. The department is supplied with Voltmeters, Ammeters, Wheatstone's Bridges, etc., a Fein Experimental Dynamo, Wireless Telegraphy Apparatus, and the largest X-Ray outfit in the State. All these are used by the members of the class, and explained by numerous lectures. A complete set of specially prepared problems is worked out by the students *pari passu* with the study of the text.

Laboratory Work.—The Student's Laboratory is connected with the dynamo of a neighboring factory, and supplied with storage-batteries. Currents of any voltage and amperage desired can thus be supplied to each desk. The experimental work of the class is carried on during the whole year, and all experiments carefully recorded on blanks prepared for the purpose. A well-furnished work-shop is attached to the Laboratory, and an annual appropriation made by the Trustees for the purchase of new apparatus.

Text-Books.—Sylvanus P. Thompson's Electricity and Magnetism (latest edition) ; Houston and Kennelly's Alternating Currents, with numerous Lectures.

ASTRONOMY AND METEROLOGY.

Professor J. M. Douglas.

Senior Class.—(Three times a week.)

Astronomy.—This course is mathematical as well as physical. A knowledge of Spherical Trigonometry is necessary, and of Conic Sections is desirable, for its successful prosecution. The discussions of the text-books are supplemented by numerous lectures. The Physical Laboratory contains a full

set of maps, charts, globes, apparatus for the projection of astronomical phenomena, sextant, etc., and a Clark & Son's Refracting Telescope, which are constantly used by members of the class.

Meteorology.—After the first of March the class studies Meteorology, and is taught to handle a full set of instruments for determining air pressure, temperature, moisture, rainfall, etc.

Text-Books.—Young's General Astronomy ; Waldo's Elementary Meteorology ; Lectures.

MINERALOGY AND GEOLOGY.

Professor J. M. Douglas.

Senior Class.—(Three times a week).

Mineralogy and Lithology.—Mineralogy and Lithology are taught during the first term. About one hundred and seventy-five of the most important minerals and rocks are placed in the hands of the class and carefully studied. The course is distinctly practical.

Laboratory.—Each student is supplied with a separate blow-pipe, table, and necessary apparatus, and handles from five hundred to eight hundred specimens of minerals and rocks during the course. A part of each recitation is devoted to the determination of unknown minerals. The College cabinet of minerals, containing over three thousand specimens, is open to the students every day.

Geology.—Geology is studied during the second term. The elements of Botany and Zoology are taught by lectures as a preparation for the study of Historical Geology. About two hundred typical fossils are studied as a part of the daily work of the class, and the large cabinet, embracing over six thousand specimens, is accessible every day. A carefully prepared thesis on a subject assigned by the Professor is required of each student.

Text-Books.—Foye's Hand-book of Mineralogy ; Dana's Text-book of Geology ; Lectures.

ENGLISH.

Professor Harrison

The study of English has three distinct but closely related branches, all of which are necessary to a rounded knowledge of the subject. These are, first, rhetoric and composition, the object of which is to teach a man to express his thoughts clearly, forcibly, and elegantly, both in spoken and written discourse ; second, the language in its historical development, a knowledge of which is absolutely necessary to a correct understanding of the language as it exists to-day, and, third,

literature, both English and American. In order to cover so extensive a field, the course in English is carefully planned to run through four years. Each class recites three times a week, except the Freshmen, which meets twice.

Freshman Class.—The principles and practice of English composition occupy the chief attention of this class, although the reading of classic prose and poetry constitutes an important part of the work. The study is pursued as follows :

1. Composition and Rhetoric.
2. The reading in class of standard writings, both as literature and as models of style.
3. Parallel reading in assigned works ; frequent written exercises and themes.

Text-Books.—Newcomer's Rhetoric ; Scott and Denny's Paragraph Writing ; Selected Texts for Class-Room Study.

Sophomore Class.—The subjects studied by this class are as follows :

1. *Advanced Rhetoric.*—Formal essays are written throughout the year, giving practice in description, narration, exposition, and argumentation.

2. *The General History of English Literature*, accompanied with parallel and class-room readings in English prose and poetry.

3. *American Literature.*—The general history of the literature is studied, and selections from Poe, Lanier and other American writers are read in class. Each student, as parallel work, makes a full, independent study of the life and works of one or more American authors.

Text-Books.—Genung's Working Principles of Rhetoric ; Brooke's English Literature ; Pancoast's Introduction to American Literature ; selected English and American poetry and prose.

Junior Class.—Elective for Juniors and Seniors. The development of the English language from the earliest written records to the present day is studied first inductively, then the subject is presented in comprehensive review. In the same way the course of the literature from the time of King Alfred to the death of Chaucer is followed. The courses are :

1. Old English Grammar ; readings from both the prose and the poetry of the period.
2. Middle English Grammar ; the literature, particularly as represented by Chaucer.
3. A consecutive history of the development of the English language.
4. Parallel reading ; essays and orations.

Text-Books.—Smith's Old English Grammar, with prose and poetic selections ; Liddell's Chaucer ; Lounsbury's English Language.

Senior Class.—Elective for Seniors. The entire year is devoted to the study of English literature. The following courses will be given in the year 1902-1903 :

1. Shakespeare. Two or three plays will be studied critically and several read rapidly in class. Parallel study is made of the Elizabethan period, both in its general history and in its literature ; especial attention is given to the drama contemporary with Shakespeare.

2. Milton. *Paradise Lost*. Parallel study of Puritan England.

3. Poets of the Nineteenth Century : Shelley, Wordsworth, Tennyson, and Browning.

4. The history and principles of English poetry.

5. Victorian Prose : Carlyle, Ruskin, Matthew Arnold.

6. Parallel reading ; essays and orations.

Text-Books.—Dowden's Shakespeare Primer ; the Globe Shakespeare ; the *Aiden* Texts ; the Globe edition of Milton ; Gummere's Poetics ; Selected Works.

HISTORY.

Professor Harrison.

Junior Class.—The class meets three times a week. Two courses are offered, as follows :

1. *First Term.*—Medieval and Modern History. In addition to the critical study of a text-book, extensive parallel reading is assigned, and each student makes a detailed investigation into the life and times of some great character, as Mohammed, Charlemagne, Luther, Napoleon, Bismarck, and writes a thesis upon his work.

2. *Second Term.*—The History of England. Parallel work similar to that in the first term is done. A special feature of the work on English history will be the analytic study of great national documents and important Acts of Parliament. The development of the Constitution and the present Government of Great Britain will be carefully studied.

Text-Books.—Adams's Medieval and Modern History ; Terry's History of England.

LOGIC AND ECONOMICS.

Professor Harrison.

Senior Class.—The class meets three times a week.

Logic. First Term.—Both Deductive and Inductive Logic are studied. The views of various writers upon the subject are discussed, and particular attention is given to the practical application of Logic in correct reasoning, in avoiding fallacies, and in the modern scientific methods. Logic is treated not solely as a means of intellectual discipline, but as a science of practical value.

Text-Book.—Creighton's Logic.

Political Economy. Second Term.—The general principles of the subject are presented in a text-book. As parallel work, the students make special investigations into various problems of immediate interest, such as trusts, banks and banking, money, the tariff, and social questions. Care is taken to have both sides of these topics studied, so that fairness as well as love of truth may be instilled.

Text-Book.—Ely's Political Economy.

BIBLICAL INSTRUCTION.

Professor Shearer.

This chair embraces the study of the English Scriptures and the evidences of Christianity. These are all taught *pari passu* until near the close of the course. This course extends over three years of the curriculum. The leading object is to master the contents of the sacred page, just as any other text-book is mastered, by careful study and class-room drill. All the historical and historico-prophetical books are studied in minute details in both Testaments, and the poetical and epistolary books are studied by ample reference through the entire course.

It therefore embraces Bible History, Oriental History, the Connections of Sacred and Profane History, Geography, Archæology in the light of modern researches in the East ; Laws, moral, ceremonial, civil, and social ; Typology, Miracles, Fulfilled Prophecies, and the Unities of Scripture.

Evidences of Christianity is formally added as an appendix to the course, though carefully discussed throughout, and there is needed only a summing up and classifying in systematic and scientific form.

Freshman Class.—This class has three recitations a week, beginning with the Book of Genesis and ending at Samuel's administration.

Sophomore Class.—Two recitations a week, beginning with the Kingdom and ending with the birth of Christ, embracing Oriental History as it interlaces with Jewish History.

Junior Class.—Three times a week. The Life of Christ on the principle of the Harmony of the Gospels ; all New Testament History ; Bible Morality as expounded in the Sermon on the Mount and elsewhere ; the Unities of Scripture ; Evidences of Christianity.

Besides these things, the Professor conducts, by lecture and references, review studies of the entire Scriptures by topics, such as the Family, the Sabbath, the Sacrifices, the Covenants, the Issues of Science, the Jewish Polity—civil, social, and ecclesiastical ; the Synagogue, the Church, the influence

of Revelation on all philosophies and religions, and topics too numerous to mention.

Text-Books.—All the classes are required to have Shearer's Bible Course Syllabus, a Bible Dictionary, Coleman's Historical Text-Book of Biblical Geography, and an English Bible. A reference Bible is preferred. A Teacher's Bible is better still.

The Sophomore Class is referred, in addition, to Prideaux's Connections of Sacred and Profane History.

The Junior Class handles, in addition, Robinson's English Harmony, Alexander's Evidences, and several books of reference.

Every student is required during the entire course to use pencil and tablet in the class-room, to take notes of explanations and discussions by the Professor, and to copy the same afterwards for his inspection. This of itself is a fine discipline for the student, and enables the Professor more profitably to traverse every department of human thought and action for illustration and elucidation of the Sacred Oracles.

MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

Professor Shearer.

This is a Senior course. Three recitations a week. The study of Psychology and of the history of Philosophy will occupy one-half of the year, not separately, but, as far as possible, jointly, so as to elucidate Psychology on a historical basis. Careful attention will be given to show the relations of a sound Philosophy to all the great problems of the ages, and also to discover the vicious progeny of a false Metaphysics.

Moral Philosophy proper, or Ethics, will occupy the other half year, and all the more profitably, because the student has already discussed every fundamental principle of Ethical Philosophy in the Bible course, with exhaustive applications in the form of practical morals, and because the study of Psychology proper embraces in it every power, capacity, faculty, disposition, volition of the soul.

Text-Books.—Elements of Psychology (Davis); Haven's History of Philosophy; Dabney's Practical Philosophy; Lectures.

NORTH CAROLINA MEDICAL COLLEGE.

This school is a separate corporation from Davidson College, but located on adjoining grounds, and with a College connection by which Chemistry, Physics, and other sciences are taken in connection with the classes of Davidson College.

The Medical students have access to the Library and Gymnasium upon payment of the usual fees.

The Medical College equipment includes, besides general lecture rooms, laboratories for the study of Practical Anatomy, Histology, Pathology, and Bacteriology.

The **Medical College Hospital** is well equipped for the treatment of medical and surgical cases, and a large number of patients have been treated during the past year. The Senior Class is divided into four sections, and these sections are assigned in rotation to do special work in the operating room, wards of the Hospital, and other Clinics. In addition to the clinical instruction furnished at Davidson, during the past session convenient rooms were secured in the city of Charlotte for clinical instruction under the immediate supervision of the physicians of Charlotte.

The **Charlotte Clinic** will be continued during the coming sessions, and one or more sections of students will be kept there throughout the session.

Faculty.—Dr. J. P. Munroe, President ; Dr. E. Q. Houston, Dr. W. J. Martin, Jr., Dr. G. M. Maxwell, Dr. J. M. Douglas, Dr. W. H. Wooten.

Clinical Lecturers.—Dr. I. W. Faison, Dr. Geo. W. Graham, Dr. A. J. Crowell, Dr. R. L. Gibbon, Dr. J. R. Irwin, Dr. E. R. Russell, Dr. W. O. Nisbett, Dr. C. M. Strong, Dr. W. H. Wakefield, Dr. C. H. C. Mills.

Write for catalogue of North Carolina Medical College, and address for other particulars,

Dr. J. P. MUNROE, Davidson, N. C.

GENERAL REMARKS

Location.

DAVIDSON COLLEGE is beautifully located in Mecklenburg county, North Carolina, on the Atlantic, Tennessee and Ohio Railroad (or the South Carolina Division of the Southern Railway), midway between the towns of Charlotte and Statesville, and twenty-two miles from each. The new railroad from Mocksville and Winston to Charlotte also passes Davidson. A thriving and interesting village of nearly one thousand inhabitants, called Davidson, has grown up with the school since its founding in 1837.

Facilities.

The College is easy of access, and has six trains a day, connecting with all points North, South, East and West. The regular mails, the Express, Telegraph, and Long Distance Telephone lines, and the Postal Order arrangements are all that parents could desire for the comfort of their sons.

Safeguards.

The location insures health, being on the line of the highest ground between the Yadkin and the Catawba, and is free from malaria and other local causes of sickness. It is sufficiently remote from large towns and cities to escape their disturbing temptations and excitements, and by a law of the State no intoxicating liquors can be sold within three miles, while as a matter of fact, there are no open saloons within seven times that distance. Few places are so free from temptations to vice and extravagance.

Chapel Services.

The Professors and students meet once a day in the Chapel for worship, conducted by the President.

Sunday Bible Classes.

The Professors and students meet in the Chapel every Sunday morning for a service of song, prayer, and Bible study. The classes are conducted as practical and devotional classes, just as in a well-ordered Sunday school, and, as far as consistent, on the voluntary principle. While attendance is required, the work done is no part of the course of weekly study.

Public Worship.

The Presbyterian Church here has a commodious house of worship, under the care of a regular pastor, with the usual Sabbath and weekly ministrations. The students are required to attend every Sabbath morning, while in fact a very large proportion of them attend in the evening as well.

Young Men's Christian Association.

This organization is one of the strongest and most vigorous College Associations in the country. Three-fourths of the students are members of it, its various departments are fully organized, and it is a leading factor in the religious life of the students. It occupies the Morrison Memorial Hall, erected for its use in 1890, and besides its work at home, is actively engaged in mission and Sabbath school work in the neighborhood of Davidson. The authorities of the College strongly advise all students to avail themselves of the many advantages accruing to its members.

Social Advantages.

Few villages of the same size furnish equal social advantages. The Faculty and the villagers alike do all in their power to give the students a home life.

Medical Attendance.

Each student pays a medical fee of three dollars, and the Faculty employs an approved physician to attend upon all cases of sickness among the students, and to prescribe for all ailments, without extra charge in the way of bills. Dr. J. P. Munroe is the College physician. He is also the family physician of the members of the Faculty, and has charge of the medical school here. Parents may feel that their sons are safe in his hands so far as kind and skilful attention is concerned.

Medical College Hospital.

The new Hospital of the North Carolina Medical College, situated within a hundred feet of the Campus, is the Davidson College Infirmary. It is equipped with trained nurses, electric bells and lights, hot and cold baths, operating room, and modern hospital furniture. All serious cases of sickness among the students are treated here, without charge for room or medical attendance, and with medicines, board, and attendance at or below actual cost.

Athletic Sports.

The physical culture of the students is in the hands of a

competent Instructor, Mr. John A. Brewin, of Boston, Mass., whose office is in the Gymnasium. Every form of clean, manly sport is encouraged by the Faculty. One-third of the students play football regularly, and last year the Davidson Team won seven out of eight inter-collegiate games. The football and baseball teams are allowed a limited number of games away from College, and all athletic events and schedules are under the control and supervision of the Faculty.

Athletic Day.

A day in April, generally the second Saturday, is set apart to be spent in contests for suitable prizes, under the control and direction of the Athletic Association and the general supervision of the Faculty. There is no admission fee, and the public is cordially invited to witness the contests.

Gymnasium.

The whole lower story of the Morrison Memorial Hall is the College Gymnasium. It has a running gallery, and is equipped with all ordinary apparatus. A one-story brick annex contains hot and cold shower baths, lockers, dressing-rooms, etc. The office of the Director contains a complete set of anthropometric apparatus, and measurements are taken at the beginning and close of each collegiate year. The students at present pay no fee for Gymnasium or baths.

Morrison Memorial Hall.

This building was erected in 1890 for the use of the Young Men's Christian Association. The assembly hall on the second floor is provided with an organ and a piano, and seated with opera chairs; the Association parlor is elegantly carpeted and furnished; the building bears the name of the Founder and first President of the College, and is the pride of the Association.

Buildings and Grounds.

The Campus is a beautiful lawn, well set in grasses which are green all the year, and handsomely laid off in walks and drives. It is well shaded with native oaks and trees of artificial planting, some of which form avenues of charming perspective.

The buildings are ample for the accommodation of a large number of students. The main College building, which cost \$85,000, consists of a centre building and two wings. It contains the New Chapel, which is a large hall suitable for the Commencement exercises, and a suite of commodious recita-

tion rooms ; also cabinet, library, apparatus, and laboratory rooms, and besides, seventy-two students' dormitories. The outside buildings on the campus are the Martin Chemical Laboratory, the Y. M. C. A. Hall and Gymnasium, the two Society Halls, Oak Row, Elm Row, and the Shearer Biblical Hall. The last five form the Quadrangle, and are beautifully grouped on the west side of the Campus, amid abundant shade, and here many students choose their dormitories. The College also owns eight professors' houses, which are conveniently located on three sides of the Campus.

Water Works.

A complete system of water works has recently been installed, and all College buildings and students' boarding-houses, with many stores and residences, are now supplied with an abundance of water. This supply, sufficient for a college with ten times our numbers, comes from artesian tube-wells, and has been pronounced by the State Bacteriologist the purest drinking-water ever tested in his office.

The Union Library.

The libraries of the College and of each of the Literary Societies have been consolidated in the spacious and well-appointed library room of the College. There are now about twelve thousand bound volumes, and additions are made every year by purchase and also by gift. We trust that our friends will continue to remember us by placing valuable books on our shelves. There is a reading-room connected with the library, furnished with the best literature of the day, both papers and magazines, and both are opened to students and professors every day. For the maintenance of the library and reading-room a fee of two dollars per session is collected from each student.

Cabinets.

The cabinets of minerals, rocks, and fossils for the teaching of Mineralogy and Geology are not only ample for class-room work, but the general display is a matter of interest, both to students and visitors. These cabinets have been accumulating for perhaps forty years. Besides *numerous* smaller additions by gifts, exchange, and purchase, the "Brumby Cabinet" was added by purchase, containing one thousand two hundred minerals, three thousand fossils, and one thousand one hundred recent shells ; and there was added by donation the Oglethorpe University Cabinet, containing about one thousand five hundred minerals ; and also a collection of recent

shells given by Professor Kerr. The whole consists of over ten thousand specimens.

Apparatus.

There is a large and valuable collection of apparatus suited to the illustration of all the departments of Physics, Astronomy, Mineralogy, and Chemistry, which cost in the aggregate many thousands of dollars, and constant additions are made from an appropriation for that purpose, so that these departments are kept fully abreast of the improvements of the day.

Martin Chemical Laboratory.

This building, named in honor of the late Col. W. J. Martin, professor of Chemistry here for over a quarter of a century, has been erected with funds generously supplied by the friends and *alumni* of the College at a cost of approximately \$10,000. It is designed with special reference for chemical work and is, it is believed, one of the best laboratory buildings in Southern Colleges. The building is of brick—65 x 60—two stories, basement, and large attic. All rooms have a wealth of light, and the whole building is heated and ventilated by the most approved system of hot air and forced draught, installed by the Peck-Hammond Co., of Cincinnati. The first floor contains the large recitation room, with raised floor and seating room for one hundred and twenty, the stock room, the Quantitative and advanced laboratory with desks for twenty and with connecting library and balance room, and the professor's private laboratory and office. The second floor contains the Minor Laboratory for those just starting Chemistry, with desk room for thirty-six and lockers for seventy-two; the Qualitative Laboratory, with desks for thirty-six, with adjoining stock and fume rooms. Each student has from four to four and one-half feet of desk space, with his own drawers and lockers for the safe-keeping of his apparatus, is provided with sink, gas, water, and filter-pump, and has fume-rooms or hoods in easy reach.

Other Laboratories.

Mineralogical—This room has tables, gas and all apparatus necessary for practical work in Mineralogy.

The *Physical Laboratory* is furnished and adapted for training the students in the practical parts of the various departments of Natural Philosophy, as is elsewhere set forth under the head of physics.

A *Workshop* in this department is well fitted up with tools

and material, by means of which much apparatus is manufactured and adapted.

Shearer Biblical Hall.

This is a beautiful and commodious building, occupying the site of the "Old Chapel." It is the gift of the ex-President of Davidson, and dedicated to his wife, Lizzie Gessner Shearer.

The whole upper floor of the building is an auditorium, seating about five hundred. It has handsome seats, a sloping floor, two dressing-rooms, and a large rostrum with footlights. The first floor contains the Biblical recitation-room, a large students' Reading Room, the Greek class-room, and the offices of the President and his secretary. The building is heated by a Peck and Hammond furnace in the basement. Through the kindness of Dr. J. P. Munroe, President of the North Carolina Medical College, the auditorium has been furnished with a chapel organ.

Methods of Instruction.

Class-room drill in the use of the most approved text-books is supplemented by written exercises by the student in all departments, and further by careful oral instruction, either on the Socratic method, or by the formal lecture, in which the exhaustive discussion of a given topic is presented in one view. The free use of the blackboard, in all departments, and of maps, cabinets, apparatus, charts, etc., wherever needed, adds largely to the interest of the classes.

Book Agency.

In the absence of a book-store in the town, a member of the Faculty acts as book agent for the students, and supplies the classes at publishers' prices.

Discipline.

We have a minimum of rules for the government of the student body, and these are rather of the nature of the administrative rules which prevail in any well-ordered business. For the most part, however, we rely on the unwritten code of truth, honor, and duty, which every gentleman recognizes. For heedless violations of administrative rules we have a system of demerits, but for rare breaches of honor, integrity, and morality we do not hesitate to resort to the severest discipline, if it seems necessary in order to save the student body from contamination by such example, or if the reformation of the offender be considered hopeless.

Examinations.

Rigid and comprehensive examinations form an important

part of the exercises of the College. In addition to the daily oral drill, and monthly review examinations (usually written), there are two general examinations of all the classes every year, conducted in writing:

1. The *Intermediate Examination*, at the close of the first term, on all the studies of the term.
2. The *Final Examination*, at the close of the second term, on the studies of that term, or of the entire year, at the option of the Professor.

Grades.

Every student is graded on each of his studies separately on the basis of his daily work in recitation and his stated examinations. Failure on any study must be made up privately, or by taking the subject again in class.

The Department Grade includes in it also the punctual and regular attendance on all exercises, and the faithful discharge of all duties, and is taken into account in all calculation of class standing, honors, graduation, etc.

Reports.

At the end of each term reports of scholarship, deportment, and absences for the whole term are sent to parents and guardians. Also, at regular intervals during the session, reports of deportment and absences are sent. The design of these reports is to give as full information as possible of the conduct and progress of the student, and to secure the co-operation of parents and guardians in promoting diligence in study and regular attendance on duty. It is well for parent and guardian to communicate the contents of these reports to the student.

Monitorships.

At the end of each term a monitor and vice-monitor are appointed from each class, who have charge of the class rolls, and mark the attendance on all religious services for the next succeeding term. These monitorships are class honors, and are conferred on those who achieve the highest average grades during the term.

Roll of Honor.

All members of all the classes who achieve during the entire year an absolute average grade of ninety-five and above are put upon the Roll of Honor, and it is so announced on Commencement day, and their names are printed in the next Catalogue.

Punctuality Roll.

All students who are never absent from any required college

exercise during the year are so announced on Commencement day, and the roll is printed in the next Catalogue.

Graduating Honors.

The three members of the graduating class each year who make the highest average grades during the entire course are awarded the first, second, and third distinctions in the class on Commencement day, by virtue of which they deliver orations, called respectively the *Valedictory*, the *Salutatory*, and the *Philosophical* oration.

The William Banks Biblical Medal.

Rev. William Banks was long a Trustee of the College, and was at his death President of the Board of Trustees. His family have founded a medal in honor of his memory, to be given each year to the student who finishes the course of Biblical Instruction with the highest distinction.

Maxwell Chambers Day.

One day in the early spring is set apart and observed as a memorial day of this liberal patron of the College and friend of Christian education. The day is devoted to forensic exercises. Orations by the Senior Class.

Twenty-second of February.

This national memorial day is also devoted to forensic exercises. Orations by the Junior Class.

Elocution.

The Professor of English has charge of all the elocution and rhetorical training in the College outside of the Literary Societies.

Occasional Lectures.

Gentlemen from abroad are invited, from time to time, by the Faculty to deliver lectures in the Chapel on such topics as may seem profitable. These lectures are free to the students and to the public.

The Literary Societies.

There are two Literary Societies connected with the College—*Philanthropic* and *Eumenean*. Each has a commodious and handsomely furnished hall. Both are well conducted, and afford opportunities for training in debate, declamation, composition, public speaking, and parliamentary usage. They have two regular meetings a week, Saturday night, and Mon-

day morning. They both award annual prizes for excellence in literary and rhetorical exercises, as follows :

1. Debater's Medals.
2. Essayist's Medals.
3. Declaimer's Medals.

Orator's Medal.

A medal is given by the two Societies to be awarded in an oratorical contest. Three representatives are appointed from the members of the Junior Class in each Society, and the award is made by a disinterested committee. This public exhibition of the two Societies takes place on Tuesday before Commencement day at 8 P. M.

"Davidson College Magazine."

This magazine is published under the auspices of the two Literary Societies. It is a neat and attractive pamphlet of about fifty pages, and is well prepared by a joint corps of editors and managers. It deserves, as well as needs, a larger patronage, especially among the *alumni*.

The Davidson College Bulletin.

The College issues four times a year a Bulletin, containing lists of students and officers, sketches of Alumni, changes in the curriculum or administration of the College, campus items of interest, social and athletic events, and general information concerning the College and its work. A copy will be sent free of charge to all Alumni and friends of the College who desire it.

Commencement Exercises.

These exercises begin with the Sabbath preceding the last Wednesday in May and end with Wednesday, which is Commencement day, the exact details of which are set forth in the Calendar on page 3.

The Alumni Association.

The Society consists of graduates from the College, and such others as may have reached the Junior grade before leaving the institution. The annual meeting and banquet is held during Commencement week, and the Society is represented by a public orator. The College relies with confidence on the hearty co-operation of her *alumni* in promoting her interests.

Societas Fratrum.

This is a Students' Aid Society, composed of students and *alumni* as active members, and of friends interested in the enterprise who may be elected as honorary members.

The object of the society is to assist indigent and deserving students by loans of money, to be repaid out of their first earnings. These loans cannot exceed one hundred dollars a year to any one student.

The funds of this Society accrue from annual dues of members, gifts of friends, and the profits of the Book Agency.

The Society has been in existence sixteen years, and has already aided more than two dozen men through College, who, but for this aid, could not have continued their education. The donation of a few hundred dollars would greatly enlarge its operations.

Endowments.

The Trustees now have safely invested over one hundred and twenty thousand dollars, the income of which, in addition to students' dues, is used to pay current expenses.

Chambers Professorship.

The Chair of Chemistry is named for the late Maxwell Chambers, Esq., of Salisbury, N. C., to whose munificent legacy the College owes almost entirely its present usefulness and success.

Semi-Centenary Addresses.

Ten addresses were delivered by distinguished friends at the Commencement in June, 1887. They contain matter of great interest to friends of education and the lovers of Davidson. They have been published in a neat volume.

Semi-Centennial Catalogue.

A general catalogue of the first fifty years—1837 to 1887—has been published. It was edited by Prof. W. A. Withers, A. M., assisted by other distinguished *alumni*. It is an 8vo., 194 pages, elegantly bound in pink and blue, the Society colors, with medallion of College seal. Cloth, \$1; paper, 50 cents. The Supplement includes Class '94.

The volume traces the career and present location of every student of the College as far as possible, and is of great interest to friends and former students of the College.

The Otts Lectureship.

Rev. J. M. P. Otts, D. D., LL. D., in 1893, donated a fund to Davidson College, the proceeds of which should be used from time to time in securing and publishing courses of lectures at Davidson College in defence of Christianity against current heresies, especially such as may seem directed against the foundations of Christian faith.

The first course of lectures was delivered by the founder himself, and published by Revel & Co., under the title, "Unsettled Questions."

The second course of lectures was delivered in October, 1897, by the late Rev. R. L. Dabney, D. D., LL. D., and has been issued under the title "Christ our Penal Substitute."

Both of these volumes are of real and permanent value, and deserve a wide circulation. The third course of lectures will probably be delivered next year.

Dormitories.

Of these there are seventy-two in the main College building, and twenty more in the several other houses on the Campus. They are all comfortable rooms of good size, and students usually live two in a room for the sake of economy and other incidental advantages.

Table Boarding.

The College does not conduct a boarding department nor maintain a "mess hall," but all students take their meals in private homes and boarding houses. Excellent table board is given at from \$8 to \$10 per month.

Club Boarding.

Clubs of from ten to forty students often engage with ladies near the College to furnish them a dining room and table-ware, and also to prepare their meals for them, on the payment of a certain sum each. The cost of board on this system ranges from \$6 to \$8 per month. Some students of small means are provided with substantial board below actual cost—\$3.50 to \$4 per month. This is a private enterprise called "The Students' Home."

Scholarships.

Special scholarships have been endowed by benevolent persons. Of these there are at present twenty-two.

The Presbyterian Church of Salisbury has established five scholarships, as follows:

1. The Maxwell Chambers Scholarship—of \$1,000, which pays the tuition of the beneficiary.
2. The William Murdoch Scholarship—of \$1,000, which pays tuition.
3. The J. J. Summerell Scholarship—of \$500, which pays other College dues, to-wit ; Room Rent and Incidental Fee.
4. The J. J. Bruner Scholarship—of \$500, which pays other College dues.

5. The D. A. Davis Scholarship—of \$1,500, which pays tuition and other dues.

One of \$1,000—the George Bower Scholarship, endowed by Mrs. A. C. Davis, of Salisbury, N. C. The income pays the tuition of one student.

One of \$1,500—the Kate Williams Scholarship, endowed by G. W. Williams, Esq., of Wilmington, N. C., paying the tuition and other College dues of one student.

One of \$1,000—endowed by J. S. Carr, Esq., of Durham, N. C., the income of which pays the tuition of the incumbent.

One of \$1,000—the Thomas Brown Scholarship, endowed by Brown and Brother, Winston, N. C., paying the tuition of one student.

One of \$1,000—endowed by S. H. Wiley, Esq., of Salisbury, N. C., paying the tuition of one student.

One of \$500—the.....Scholarship, endowed by General R. Barringer and George E. Wilson, Esq., of Charlotte, N. C., paying the dues of one candidate for the ministry.

One of \$500—the Oates Scholarship, endowed by R. M. Oates and Oates Brothers, Charlotte, N. C., paying the dues of one candidate for the ministry.

One of \$500—the Willie J. Brown Scholarship, endowed by Col. John L. Brown, of Charlotte, N. C., paying the dues (other than tuition) of one student.

One of \$500—the P. T. Penick Scholarship, endowed by the Presbyterian Church, Mooresville, N. C., paying the room rent and incidental fee of one student.

One of \$500—the A. K. Pool Scholarship, endowed by the Class of '93, in memory of their beloved class-mate, Rev. A. K. Pool, paying the room rent and incidental fee of one student.

One of \$1,000—the R. W. Allison Scholarship, endowed by Mrs. J. M. Odell (nee Miss Addie Allison), of Concord, N. C., in memory of her father, paying the tuition fee of one student.

One of \$1,000—the P. B. Fetzer Scholarship, endowed by P. B. Fetzer, Esq., Concord, N. C., paying the tuition fee of one student.

Five of \$1,000 each—the Frances Taylor Scholarships, endowed by a legacy bequeathed to the College by Miss Frances Taylor, of Newbern, N. C.

EXPENSES.

Tuition—First Term, \$25 00; Second Term.....	\$35 00; total....	\$60 00
Room rent, “ 10 00; “ \$10 00 to 15 00; “ \$20 to 25 00		
Incidental, “ 6 00; “ 9 00; “ 15 00		
Medical fee, “ 1 00; “ 2 00; “ 3 00		
Deposit for damages to buildings, etc.....		2 00
Day board, in families, a month.....	from \$9 00 to 10 00	
Day board, in club, a month	from 6 00 to 8 00	
Wood, per cord.....		1 50
Lights, about.....		2 00
Washing, per month.....		1 00

Books from Book Agent at publishers' retail prices.

Total necessary College expenses for year, from \$150 to \$250.

Tuition, room rent, and incidental expenses are payable in advance at the beginning of each term. Board paid monthly.

Every student is required to report to the Bursar and also to register, within twenty-four hours after his arrival.

At the end of the session such part of the damage fund as is not expended will be returned to the student.

Students are usually required to room in the College buildings, *but pay the same College fees* if allowed to room in the village; they furnish their own rooms.

Bed-clothing should be brought from home. Furniture can be obtained at reasonable rates in town, or purchased from students leaving College.

Tuition is free to candidates for the ministry and to sons of ministers of all denominations.

Money intended for any student may be deposited with the Bursar, who will expend it as directed.

The Postoffice is “ Davidson, Mecklenburg county, N. C.”

